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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY NOUAKCHOTT

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: BENC, MR

SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: PELLETIZING PLANT

REF: NOUACHOTT 2827

1. ALLIS CHALMERS UNDERSTANDS FROM INDUSTRY SOURCES THAT SAMIA MAY BE RECONSIDERING ITS DECISION TO CONSTRUCT PELLETIZING PLANT BECAUSE OF THE HIGH COST OF SUCH A FACILITY. AS A LOWER COST ALTERNATIVE SAMIA IS STUDYING THE POSSIBILITY OF BUILDING A PLANT TO PRODUCE SINTER FEED.

2. WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY DISCUSSING THIS MATTER WITH APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS TO DETERMINE SAMIA'S CURRENT PLANS FOR THE PELLETIZING PLANT. KISSINGER

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